



Troy Parks and Recreation

Friendship Club

For persons 13 and up unless otherwise specified.

Activities are held at the Troy Community Center, 3179 Livernois, Troy MI 48083, (248) 524-3484, unless otherwise noted.

Staff will try their best to meet everyone's needs, but if behavior problems persist we will ask you to provide your own aid, at your expense, or ask you to withdrawal from the activity.



January/February 2007

DEAR PARENTS & FRIENDSHIP CLUB MEMBERS: Happy New Year to everyone! I hope that everyone had a happy and safe holiday!

Our annual Wheels Inn trip is quickly approaching. It will be Friday January 12 thru Sunday January 14. We have open spaces if you are interested. Please sign up no later than **JANUARY 8**. Also, for your information, you **DO NOT** need a passport to cross the border. The law will be in effect next year. Information packets for the trip will be in the mail in early January.

Regarding Diner's Club, if the event is filled and you are willing to transport your son/daughter to the restaurant, you may do that, but you must pay me the \$22 that night to avoid confusion with the bill at the restaurant. You also need to call me and let me know if you will be meeting us there so I can adjust my count at the restaurant. For those going by van, we will be leaving the community center at 6pm sharp, please arrive on time. Thanks!

If you have any questions please email me at annemariecalice@yahoo.com or call the Community Center at 248-619-7645. Anne Marie.

JANUARY

MONDAY, January 8 - MOVIE AND PIZZA

Join us for a movie and pizza snack at the Community Center. The movie for this month will be **Invincible**.

Time: 6:30-8:30 pm

Location: Troy Community Center

Cost: \$4.00 (includes movie, drink, and a pizza snack). **NO PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

FRIDAY, January 12 - FRIDAY FROLIC –For persons 16 and up. Join us and bring a friend!!! Reservations are not required.

Time: 7:00 - 9:30pm

Location: Troy Community Center

Cost: \$4.00 **NO PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

FRIDAY, January 19– DINERS CLUB

The restaurant this month will be at **Fridays** in Troy.

Activity # 135312G

Time: 6-8:15 p.m.

Location: Meet at Troy Community Center

Cost: \$22 – includes dinner, beverages, tip, chaperones and transportation from the Community Center.

MONDAY, January 22- BINGO NIGHT

Prizes will be given to the winners, and we will break for refreshments.

Time: 7-8:30 pm

Location: Troy Community Center

Cost: \$4.00 **NO PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

FEBRUARY

FRIDAY, February 9 - FRIDAY FROLIC –For persons 16 and up. Join us and bring a friend!!! Reservations are not required.

Time: 7:00 - 9:30pm

Location: Troy Community Center

Cost: \$4.00 **NO PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

MONDAY, February 12 - MOVIE AND PIZZA

Join us for a movie and pizza snack at the Community Center. The movie for this month will be **How to Eat Fried Worms**.

Time: 6:30-8:30 pm

Location: Troy Community Center

Cost: \$4.00 (includes movie, drink, and a pizza snack). **NO PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

FRIDAY, February 16– DINERS CLUB

The restaurant this month will be at **Zoup!** in Troy.

Activity # 135312H

Time: 6-8:15 p.m.

Location: Meet at Troy Community Center

Cost: \$22 – includes dinner, beverages, tip, chaperones and transportation from the Community Center.

MONDAY, February 26 - BINGO NIGHT

Prizes will be given to the winners, and we will break for refreshments.

Time: 7-8:30 pm

Location: Troy Community Center

Cost: \$4.00 **NO PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

Basketball

The program will be two hours long and there will be four teams. Join coaches Courtney Dalley and McConnell Trapp for a fun season! The four teams will practice together for the first few weeks and then play against each other and have playoffs. On the first day of basketball, a more detailed letter will be passed out.

Act#	Day	Time	Location	Fee	Begins	Ends
143344B	Tuesday	6:30-8:30 p.m.	Community Center	\$52	Jan.9	Mar.13

My Chance To Dance

Winner of 2002 Governor's Amateur Athletic Event Award, this dance/exercise program presented by C.C. Plus includes circle dances, party dances, line dances, fun music and great exercise. The program is specially choreographed to avoid failure and build success. Wheelchairs and walkers welcome! **Register at the Troy Community Center. Space is limited.** A drop- in fee of \$4 per class is available if space allows.

Act#	Day	Time	Location	Fee	Begins	Ends
143345C	Thursday	6:45-7:45 p.m.	Big Beaver Church John R south of Wattles	\$30	Jan.18	March. 8

Friendship Club Thursday Day Camp

This camp for ages 18 and older meets every Thursday from 10 am to 3 pm at the Troy Community Center with many fun activities brought to you by Irene Walters, Melissa Williams and Kathy Martin. Activities will be revised based on your requests, and we are always open to your suggestions. The fee is \$65 per month. Pre-registration is required and you must register for the entire month. Space is limited.

The activity numbers for this season are as follows:

January (135340F)

February (135340G)

March (135340H)

April (135340J)

May (135340J)

June (135340K)

Staff will try their best to meet everyone's needs, but if behavior problems persist we will ask you to provide an aid or withdrawal from the program. Aids are not required to pay the \$65 fee but must pay for meals and other incidentals.

A 25% subsidy is available to low-income Troy residents who meet the following guidelines: 1 person household - annual income of \$24,450 or less; 2 person household - annual income of \$27,950 or less; 3 person household - annual income of \$31,450 or less. Please call 248-524-3484 for information on larger household sizes. Applicants for financial aid must fill out a confidential application and submit it at the time of registration. Please call 248-524-3484 and we will mail an application to you.

Transportation for Troy residents may be available through Troy Medi-Go Plus. Call 248-457-1100 for reservation information. There is no charge for Medi-Go, but donations are accepted.

Thursday's Schedule

Morning - Gym

Lunch – For the first two weeks of each month, lunch will be provided. The first week we will be go out to lunch at a local restaurant. The second week, we will be having a pizza lunch with salad and pop. For the remainder of the month we ask that you please bring a sack lunch.

Afternoon - The activities planed for the afternoon include walks outside, dancing, movies, games, playing pool, ping pong and more!!!



Special Olympics

**Michigan
Oakland County**

Team Troy Special Olympics Parent's Page

(248) 524-3484 3179 Livernois Troy, MI 48083

Anyone needing information regarding health forms can contact the Special Olympics office at (248) 674-4924.

Good News! Special Olympics swim will start on Saturday, January 6 2007 at 10:30am (NO EARILER) until noon at Athens High School. Please make sure that your athlete's health form is up to date. You can do this by calling the Special Olympics office, Julie

Brown at 586-731-0922. This will now be the responsibility of the athlete's family or guardian. I will also need a copy of any new or renewed heath forms in order for the athlete to swim at practice. Or bring the original and I will copy it for you. If you are new to our team, or if you are NOT returning this year, please call Jo Rexin at 248-689-5585. We also require a parent or designated person to be present at practice. REASON- practices ending early, pool problems, information distributed, accidents etc. Thanks.

ON GOING EVENTS

Bowling	For age 10 and older. Saturdays at 11a.m. at Troy Lanes. \$4 per week for three games of bowling, including shoes. Sponsored by Troy Parks and Recreation. Call 248-524-3484 for more information. To guarantee a lane get there early, as we have had to turn people away. No bowling on holiday weekends and during July and August. Additional cancellation dates will be announced in the newsletter.
Performing Arts	For young adults 16 and up. Wednesdays from 7-9 p.m. at the Troy Community Center. Choral singing, dance, and public performances. A donation of \$2 per week is requested. Co-sponsored by Troy Parks and Recreation and the Italian Study Group of Troy. Call 248-585-5246 for more information. There will be no meeting on the 3rd Wednesday of the month.
Soccer League	Spring and Fall Saturday soccer leagues for persons age five through 26. Sponsored by the Troy Youth Soccer League. Call Marcy Ng at 248-740-0626 for information.
Swimming	See this newsletter and also call the Troy Adult Education Department at 248-879-7582 for information on their swimming programs.
Weight Watchers	For persons 13 and up, Thursdays at 6:15 P.M. at the Community Center. Through a scholarship from Weight Watchers, this program is available for a fee of \$.50 per week plus a \$1.00 initiation fee. Braille is available. Persons accompanying a program participant may participate for the same fee. Co-sponsored by the ARC. Call 248-524-3484 for information.
Wheelchair Sports	Friday evenings at Boulton Middle School September – May. Call Sandy Dorey at Oakland County Parks and Recreation for more information: 248-858-7596.

Mail-In Registration Form

All patron requested refunds are subject to a \$10 cancellation fee.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY: I hereby voluntarily release and hold harmless the City of Troy and the Troy School District from all liability for all types of damages or injuries, whether foreseeable or not, sustained by myself, my child and other family members while participating, watching and traveling to or from this activity.

Name of Participant:_____ **Activity #(s):**_____

Address:_____ **Phone:**_____

Signed:_____ **Date:** _____

ENCLOSE REGISTRATION FEE (checks payable to: City of Troy) along with this waiver form and mail to:
Troy Parks and Recreation, 3179 Livernois, Troy, MI 48083.

To register online, go to www.ci.troy.mi.us and click on the green Parks and Rec Registration button on the home page. Enter your household number for username (find this number near the bottom left side of previous receipt or call 248-524-3484) and the last name of head of household for password. On the next screen, click on SHOP and then ACTIVITY ENROLLMENT. You can only register people in your own household.

January 2007

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Happy New Year!	2	3 Performing Arts 7:00	4 Friendship Club 10am-3pm W. Watchers 6:15	5	6 Bowling 11 am – 1 pm
7	8 Movie and Pizza 6:30 – 8:30pm	9 Basketball 6:30pm-8: 30pm	10 Performing Arts 7:00	11 Friendship Club 10am-3pm W. Watchers 6:15	12 Friday Frolic 7pm-9:30pm Wheels Inn	13 Bowling 11am-1pm Wheels Inn
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21	22 Bingo 7:00 - 8: 30 pm	23 Basketball 6:30pm-8:30pm	24 Performing Arts 7:00	25 Friendship Club 10am-3pm W. Watchers 6:15	26	27 Bowling 11am-1pm
28	29	30 Basketball 6:30pm-8: 30pm	31 Performing Arts 7:00			

February 2007

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Friendship Club 10am-3pm W. Watchers 6:15	2	3 Bowling 11am-1pm
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